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SUBJ: JUDICIAL ASSISTANCE IN JOINT NARCOTIC CONTROL ACTIVITIES

REF: STATE 202765

1. PAPERS AND INFORMATION PROMISED BY GOC OFFICIALS DURING STATE/JUSTICE TEAM VISIT IN JULY HAVE FALLEN VICTIM TO UNCERTAINTIES AND CONFUSION IN CONNECTION WITH CHANGE OF PRESIDENTIAL ADMINISTRATIONS. OFFICIALS, UNSURE OF EXACT POLICIES OF NEW GOVERNMENT AS WELL AS THEIR OWN PERSONAL FUTURE, HAVE DELAYED DOING THE NECESSARY WORK, DESPITE FOLLOW-UP BY MISSION OFFICERS.

2. THE SUPERINTENDENT OF CURRENCY CONTROL HAS ALREADY BEEN REPLACED. A NEW ATTORNEY GENERAL WILL TAKE OFFICE PROBABLY ABOUT OCTOBER 1. IT IS UNLIKELY AG SERRANO WILL OFFICIALLY RESPOND TO REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION DURING HIS REMAINING WEEKS IN OFFICE, BUT MISSION DOES HOPE TO BE ABLE TO OBTAIN HIS UNOFFICIAL VIEWS AND COMMENTS WHICH SHOULD STILL BE OF CONSIDERABLE VALUE. DEPUTY AG FOR JUDICIAL POLICE GARCIA HAS ALREADY SUBMITTED HIS RESIGNATION AND IT IS DUBIOUS HE WILL TAKE ANY ACTION IN THIS MATTER EITHER OFFICIAL OR UNOFFICIAL.

3. FEASIBILITY AND TIMING OF ANY AGREEMENT WILL DEPEND IN LARGE PART UPON NEW OFFICIALS TAKING OFFICE. MISSION WILL ENLIST
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THEIR SUPPORT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. ALSO, MISSION WILL EXPLORE POSSIBILITY OF SENDING KEY OFFICIALS INVOLVED TO U.S. ON OBSERVATION PROGRAM AT EARLY DATE. IF THIS PROVES FEASIBLE, JOINT MEETINGS IN WASHINGTON SPECIFICALLY ON THIS SUBJECT COULD PROVIDE SOME RENEWED IMPETUS.
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